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SUBJECT: MIN ED DELEGATION EXCHANGES FOR 1976

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1. DEPTOFFS MET WITH HAROLD HODGKINSON, DIRECTOR OF THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR EDUCATION (NIE), ON AUGUST 12 TO DISCUSS HIS RECENT VISIT TO THE USSR AND TO ELICIT FROM HIM SPECIFIC IDEAS FOR DIRECTIONS OF FUTURE EXCHANGES, PER PARA 5 REFTEL B. HODGKINSON SUGGESTED THAT AREAS IN WHICH U.S. MIGHT PROFIT FROM AN EXCHANGE INCLUDE EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT, NATIONAL ASSESSMENT OF STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT, AND COMPARATIVE EDUCATION.

2. DURING THE MEETING WE DEVELOPED A PROPOSAL FOR A VISIT TO THE USSR BY A U.S. DELEGATION TO PARTICIPATE IN A SEMINAR, PROBABLY DURING THE LAST TWO WEEKS OF NOVEMBER. DELEGATION WOULD CONSIST OF 8-10 MEMBERS, WOULD FOCUS ON EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH AND INCLUDE PARTICIPATION FROM FOLLOWING GROUPS: CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT FIELD, CHIEF
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STATE SCHOOL OFFICERS, RESEARCH DIRECTOR FROM A LARGE CITY

SCHOOL SYSTEM, RESEARCHER FROM MAJOR TEXTBOOK PUBLISHING FIRM, AMERICAN EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH ACADEMY (AERA), CRITERION REFERENCE TESTING FIELD (CRT), UNIVERSITY

RESEARCHER AND A RESEARCHER FROM EDUCATIONAL TESTING SERVICE (ETS). THE VISIT WOULD BE FOR TWO WEEKS.

3. DEPT WOULD MAKE TWO STRONG RECOMMENDATIONS TO MIN ED. PART OF VISIT SHOULD CONSIST OF COMMON MEETINGS AND VISITS FOR ENTIRE USDEL; OTHER PART SHOULD INCLUDE PERSONALIZED AND FLEXIBLE AGENDAS TO MEET INDIVIDUAL INTERESTS. SECOND, RETURN DELEGATION BY SOVIETS SHOULD ALSO BE IN EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH TO AFFORD THE BENEFITS OF CONTINUING DISCUSSION AND PROFESSIONAL RELATIONSHIPS.

4. WE SHOULD HAVE FURTHER DETAILS OF PROPOSAL WORKED OUT WITHIN THE NEXT WEEK OR SO. WE SUGGEST EMBASSY NOT DISCUSS MATTER WITH MIN ED UNTIL THAT TIME.

5. RE EMBASSY REQUEST FOR A LIST OF BOOK PRESENTATIONS FOR HODGKINSON'S SOVIET HOSTS, HODGKINSON IS PREPARING THE LIST AND WE WILL FORWARD IT WHEN RECEIVED. KISSINGER

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